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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2006, which sets a three-month shortened statutory period for response until February 1, 2007. If any extension of time or fees are required to maintain the pendency of the application, this is an express request for any required extension of time, and an express authorization to charge any required fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1712.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.**Amendments to the Drawings:** None.**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.**Conclusions** begin on page 18 of this paper.